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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/671,969  
 Inventor(s) : K. H. Baker *et al.*  
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 Art Unit : 1762  
 Examiner : E. Tsoy  
 Docket No. : 7836XDCL\$  
 Confirmation No. : 7274  
 Customer No. : 27752  
 Title : Compositions for Treating Shoes and Articles Employing  
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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents  
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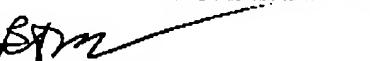
An extension of time is hereby requested under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

Authorization is hereby given to charge the following fee and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company:

- One month extension under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1).
- Two month extension under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2).
- Three month extension under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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